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In re Patent Application of

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OLIGONUCLEOTIDES DELIVERED
BY A METHOD COMPRISING A STEP
OF IONTOPHRESIS

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Sir:

The following extension of time is requested to extend the time for responding to the Official Action of December 24, 2002:

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